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After months of bitter infighting, CIA Director Stansfield Turner is emerging as America's "intelligence czar" in all but name. A presidential order soon to be issued will give him unprecedented power over the entire U.S. intelligence community abroad, including most overseas activities of the FBI, Defense, State and Treasury Departments.

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While the Justice Department is expected to indict no more than half a dozen members of Congress—past and present—on criminal charges in the Korean influence-buying scandals, dozens of lawmakers are likely to face disciplinary action ranging from censure to expulsion by Congress itself for accepting favors.